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**UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION  
TRANSMITTAL**

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No.

PTK-195

First Named Inventor

Glenn Cabana

Title

**METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR OPTIMIZED  
IMAGE PROCESSING**

**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

**ADDRESS TO: Box Patent Application  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231**

1. ☒ **Fee Transmittal Form**

**ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**

2. ☒ **Specification and Drawings [Total Pages - 41]**

- Specification - (23 pages)
- Claims - (14 pages)
- Abstract - (1 page)
- Sheets of Drawings - (3 sheets)

☒ **Formal**  
☐ **Informal**

7. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee)  
☐ Power of Attorney

8. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)

9. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449  
☐ Copies of IDS Citations

3. ☒ **Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 4]**

- a. ☒ **Newly executed (original)**
- b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)  
[Note Box 4 below]

10. ☐ Preliminary Amendment  
☐ Drawings [Total Sheets ]  
☐ Letter to Official Draftsperson Including  
Drawings [Total Pages ]

11. ☒ **Return Receipt Postcard**

4. ☐ Incorporation by Reference (usable if Box 3b is checked)  
The entire Disclosure of the prior application, from  
which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied  
under Box 3b, is considered as being part of the  
disclosure of the accompanying application and is  
hereby incorporated by reference therein.

12. ☐ Small Entity Statement(s)  
☐ Statements filed in prior application,  
(Status still proper and desired)

13. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)

5. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

14. ☐ Deletion of Inventor(s)  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in  
the prior application.

6. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
☐ Computer Readable Copy  
☐ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)  
☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies

15. ☒ **Patent Application Data Entry Form (3 pages)**  
16. ☐ Other

17. ☐ **If a CONTINUING APPLICATION**, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:  
☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application Serial No. \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_.  
**Priority to the above application(s) is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 120.**  
Prior application information: Examiner: \_\_\_\_ Group/Art Unit: \_\_\_\_.

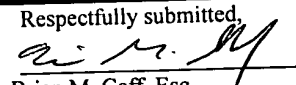
18. ☐ **Priority - 35 U.S.C. 119**  
☐ Priority of application Serial No. \_\_\_\_ filed on \_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119.  
☐ The certified copy has been filed in prior U.S. application Serial No. \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_.  
☐ The certified copy will follow.

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# FEE TRANSMITTAL

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2. ☒ **The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit or charge any fee indicated below for this submission to Deposit Account No. 20-0531.**  
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☒ **Additional fee required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.**  
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## FEE CALCULATION

## 1. FILING FEE

## Large Entity

Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
710	Utility filing fee	710.00
320	Design filing fee	
150	Provisional filing fee	

	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Amount
Total Claims	32	- 20 = 12	x \$ 18.00 =	216.00
Independent Claims	11	- 3 = 8	x \$ 80.00 =	640.00

☐ Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any \$270.00 = 0.00

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## 2. AMENDMENT CLAIM FEES

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## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

## 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
130	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
50	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
130	130	Non-English specification	
2,520	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
110	55	Extension for reply within first month	
390	195	Extension for reply within second month	
890	445	Extension for reply within third month	
1,390	695	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1,890	945	Extension for reply within fifth month	
310	155	Notice of Appeal	
310	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
270	135	Request for oral hearing	
130	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
50	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
180	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement (37 CFR 1.97(c))	
180	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement (37 CFR 1.97(d))	
710	355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
710	355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	

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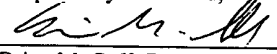
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